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Applicant: Griffith, et al. Patent No.: 6,730,298  
Serial No: 09/008,945 Issued: May 4, 2004  
Filed : January 20, 1998  
For: TISSUE FORMATION BY INJECTING A CELL-POLYMERIC SOLUTION  
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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION OF PATENT  
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Attached in duplicate is Form PTO-1050 with at least one copy being suitable for printing.

The exact location where the errors occur are:

**On the cover page of the patent, the inventors should be listed as:**

--Linda G. Griffith, Anthony Atala, Charles Vacanti, and Keith Paige--  
instead of

"Linda Griffith-Cima, Anthony Atala, Charles Vacanti, and Keith Paige".

### REMARKS

The present Request is filed to correct the listing of the inventors. The first inventor's name was changed to Linda G. Griffith from Linda Griffith-Cima by a petition filed February 26, 2001 and accepted May 16, 2001. See the attached Decision on Petition, Paper No. 29. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that a Certificate of Correction be issued to properly identify the inventors of the patent.

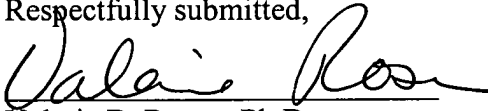
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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.182, filed March 6, 2001, to effect the name change of the first named inventor.

The petition is granted.

PTO records have been corrected as follows:

The name of the first named inventor has been changed from "Linda Griffith-Cima"  
to "Linda G. Griffith"

A corrected filing receipt is enclosed.

This application is being returned to Technology Center 1600.

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